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December 21, 2006

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Re: MDL-1742 -- In re Ortho Evra Products Liability Litigation

(See Attached CTO-26)

Dear Ms. Smith:

I am enclosing a certified copy and one additional copy of a conditional transfer order filed by the Panel in the above-captioned matter on December 5, 2006. As stipulated in Rule 7.4(a) of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, 199 F.R.D. 425, 435-36 (2001), transmittal of the order has been stayed 15 days to give any party an opportunity to oppose the transfer. The 15-day period has now elapsed, no opposition was received, and the order is directed to you for filing.

The Panel's governing statute, 28 U.S.C. §1407, requires that the transferee clerk "...transmit a certified copy of the Panel's order to transfer to the clerk of the district court from which the action is being transferred."

A list of involved counsel is attached.

Very truly,

Jeffery N. Lüthi
Clerk of the Panel

By: Denise Morgan Stone
Deputy Clerk

Attachment

cc: Transferee Judge: Judge David A. Katz
Transferor Judges: (See Attached List of Judges)
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BEFORE THE JUDICIAL PANEL ON MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION
IN RE ORTHO EVRA PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION
(SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE)

CONDITIONAL TRANSFER ORDER (CTO-26)

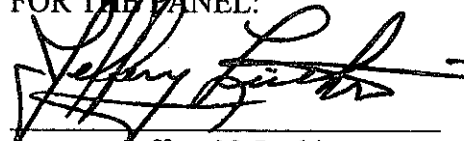
On March 1, 2006, the Panel transferred 12 civil actions to the United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1407. *See* 422 F.Supp.2d 1379 (J.P.M.L. 2006). Since that time, 288 additional actions have been transferred to the Northern District of Ohio. With the consent of that court, all such actions have been assigned to the Honorable David A. Katz.

It appears that the actions on this conditional transfer order involve questions of fact that are common to the actions previously transferred to the Northern District of Ohio and assigned to Judge Katz.

Pursuant to Rule 7.4 of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, 199 F.R.D. 425, 435-36 (2001), these actions are transferred under 28 U.S.C. § 1407 to the Northern District of Ohio for the reasons stated in the order of March 1, 2006, and, with the consent of that court, assigned to the Honorable David A. Katz.

This order does not become effective until it is filed in the Office of the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio. The transmittal of this order to said Clerk shall be stayed 15 days from the entry thereof. If any party files a notice of opposition with the Clerk of the Panel within this 15-day period, the stay will be continued until further order of the Panel.

FOR THE PANEL:



Jeffery N. Lüthi
Clerk of the Panel

Inasmuch as no objection is
pending at this time, the
stay is lifted.

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SCHEDULE CTO-26 - TAG-ALONG ACTIONS
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<u>DIST. DIV. C.A. #</u>	<u>CASE CAPTION</u>
CALIFORNIA EASTERN	
CAE 1 06-1286	Jennifer McDonald v. Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceutical, Inc., et al.
INDIANA SOUTHERN	
INS 1 06-1546	Monique Howard v. Johnson & Johnson, et al.
INS 3 06-173	Charlene Pryor v. Johnson & Johnson, et al.
KENTUCKY WESTERN	
KYW 1 06-167	Lisa Keown v. Johnson & Johnson, et al.
MINNESOTA	
MN 0 06-4453	Alicia Goens v. Johnson & Johnson, et al.
MN 0 06-4454	Amanda Reed v. Johnson & Johnson, et al.
MN 0 06-4481	Lakitta Reaves v. Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceutical, Inc., et al.
NORTH CAROLINA WESTERN	
NCW 3 06-448	Nikki J. Finger v. Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceutical, Inc., et al.
NEW JERSEY	
NJ 2 06-3925	Esmeralda Sipiran v. Johnson & Johnson, et al.
NJ 2 06-5113	Delexea Hatcher v. Johnson & Johnson, et al.
NJ 2 06-5247	Nichole Jenkins v. Johnson & Johnson, et al.
NEW YORK EASTERN	
NYE 1 06-5564	Carla Cardini v. Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceutical, Inc., et al.
TENNESSEE MIDDLE	
TNM 3 06-947	Sonia Michelle Wright v. Johnson & Johnson, et al.
TNM 3 06-1084	Demeturia L. Kelly, etc. v. Johnson & Johnson, et al.
TEXAS NORTHERN	
TXN 3 06-1941	Robin Kroner v. Johnson & Johnson, et al.
TEXAS SOUTHERN	
TXS 4 06-3422	Lynne Devlin v. Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceutical, Inc., et al.

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